

DABNEY PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY

At Inauguration Exercises Discussed Question of "Democracy and Schools."

(By Associated Press.)
CINCINNATI, O., Nov. 16.—Dr. Chas. W. Dabney was today inaugurated president of the University of Cincinnati. Dr. Dabney, in his inaugural address, discussed "Democracy and the School." He said in part:

"Let us cast out of our minds all half-hearted arguments for the free education of all the people. It is true that it pays a community to educate all its youth, but the public school is not a charity institution. School houses and school masters are cheaper than jails and soldiers, but we do not find the public school on any such ground as this. Such arguments for free schools are little less than an insult to a free people. The true Democracy is something nobler than a policeman guarding and protecting our property and our rights. The Democracy establishes its public schools to train new citizens and to fit them for self-government and when it shall have done its duty in this respect, there will be no need of policeman and soldiers. Democracy spending hundreds of millions for wars and for armaments and navies, is enough to give devils joy. If we spent one-fourth of this treasure in schools and missions, the whole world would soon be in bonds of love, and there would be no need of these engines of death and destruction. 'Men have, indeed, a right to govern themselves, but without education men have not the capacity. Suffrage is not a natural right, but a privilege assigned to those who qualify themselves for its proper exercise in accordance with a standard fixed by the State.' 'Democracy means self-government, self-government necessitates universal education, and universal education can only be accomplished by free public schools under the control of all the people.' The speaker concluded with a reference to Japan as 'an example of what education can do for a people.'

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THE METHODIST CONFERENCE

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To fill vacancies on the Sunday School Board—R. P. Emory, W. B. Tunkard. All committee reports were ordered to be typewritten before presentation. Vacancies on boards were filled as follows: Education, Thomas N. Potts; Epworth League, J. A. Winn.

Rev. W. J. Twilley was made a member of the Committee to Examine Candidates for Admission on Trial.

A letter on the condition of the publishing house was read and referred to committee.

Rev. Asa Driscoll was again commissioned conference postmaster, a service he has rendered for several years. The pastor of the entertaining churches, and promptly got to work, presenting Rev. Dr. Brooks, of the Western North Carolina Conference; Rev. Dr. Atkins, Sunday school secretary, and Rev. Dr. Ward, missionary secretary, were in turn presented, and the conference gave them the customary rising greeting.

The Superannuates. After the announcements of the time and place of meetings of the various churches got down to work on the routine proceedings, calling the list of superannuates and supernumeraries, each of whom was reported upon by his presiding elder, and his name referred to the Committee on Conference Relations.

Here the list called the characters of all being called and verbal reports as to their health being made. Rev. W. H. Camper, John Q. Rhodes, John M. Burton, H. C. Bell, E. J. Potts, T. J. Bayton, H. C. Bowles, J. P. Brannan, J. W. Crider, R. N. Crooks, A. M. Hall, R. G. James, W. P. Jordan, W. A. Laughon, C. J. Wansley, P. P. Woodward, J. R. Gill, W. W. Cain, L. T. Hill, P. M. Edwards, E. P. Parham, J. A. Proctor, C. H. Boggs, T. J. Wray, J. E. McSparran, W. E. Allen, B. F. Smith, Oscar Littleton and W. H. Gregory, Rev. W. B. Moore, who had given up active work owing to ill health, was here.

Chronic Sores. Some years ago while at work, I fell over a truck and severely injured both of my limbs. My blood became poisoned as a result, and the doctor told me I would have running sores for life, and that if they were healed up the result would be fatal. Under this discouraging report I left off their treatment and resorted to the use of S. S. S. Its effects were prompt and gratifying. It took only a short while for the medicine to entirely cure up the sores, and I am not dead as the doctors intimated, nor have the sores ever broke out again. Some 12 years have elapsed since what I have described occurred. Having been so significantly benefited by its use I can heartily recommend it as the one great blood purifier.

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to the work of the advocate. Rev. R. H. Potts, of Suffolk, or Rev. R. T. Waterhouse, of Norfolk, in connection with the Hampton Union. It is said that Dr. John Hannon may go to Cabell Street, Danville, from which Rev. A. S. Franklin is expected to retire, owing to his health. Rev. J. K. Jalliff, of Portsmouth may go to Trinity instead. Rev. W. G. Boggs is mentioned as likely to go to Ashbury Church, Richmond. Rev. J. C. Harry, of Prince Edward, will, it is said, relinquish work to take a further course at Randolph-Macon. No one has been mentioned for La Grange station. Rev. J. O. Babcock, of Gloucester Point, desires a change to Piedmont in the interest of his health. Rev. R. V. Watts, one of the veterans of the conference is expected to take a supernumerary relation. Rev. W. Ashbury Christian, who leaves Berkeley, is mentioned for Suffolk, from which Rev. R. H. Potts will retire. Rev. H. M. Hope, it is understood, will locate. Rev. J. Powell Garland was detained by illness from his last session. He is at Dr. John W. Dillard's residence. A. H. T.

HORRORS OF WAR AT PORT ARTHUR

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Their presence undoubtedly precipitated the action of the Russians in blowing up the Rastoropy.

The explosion was so subdued, and the crew remained so silent that it was some time before the report of the affair became current. Even the officials most intimately concerned got the news from the correspondents.

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ASHBURY CHURCH, Nov. 16.—A special to the Times from Cody, Wyoming, says:

According to news received by telephone from Thermopolis, one of the Cody bank robbers has been captured. His name is John J. McLaughlin. He was captured by the Thermopolis police. The captured man appears to fill the description of the one who shot McLaughlin in the arm and hand, but the capture was made about three and a quarter miles above the mouth of Owl Creek in the Big Horn valley, a few miles from Thermopolis.

"The three rode cautiously up to the place, and succeeded in getting a drop on him before he was aware of their presence, and upon being questioned as to the identity and whereabouts of his partner, he refused to say anything. In fact, he has remained silent ever since he was captured."

Upon his person were found a revolver and some money that are known to be the same as that taken from Edwards' saloon yesterday. Parties from Cody will go to Thermopolis for the purpose of identifying the captured man as the larger of the two who attempted to hold up the bank here. It was the larger of the two men who fired the shot that killed McLaughlin.

REMARKABLE SITUATION. Republican Ineligible and Democrat Not a Candidate.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—Among the many distinguished passengers arriving to-day on the Kaiser Wilhelm Der Grosse were Mr. and Mrs. James Brown Potter, Mrs. Potter, who was formerly Miss May Handy, of Richmond, Va., and a great favorite, gave no sign that the unusually rough voyage of the big liner had any ill effect on her. She was as cheerful and vivacious as ever. The coming of the Potters was known to only a few intimate friends who met them at the dock. It was said that Mr. and Mrs. Potter would attend the Horse Show and spend a short time with New York friends and would then leave for the South for a short visit.

COAL SHUTE BURNS. Catches in the Top, Probably From Spontaneous Combustion.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) CRIVIE, VA., Nov. 16.—The coal shute of the Norfolk and Western Railroad at this place was burned this evening. The shute was finished last summer and cost many thousands, being up-to-date in every particular. It is thought that the blaze was a spontaneous combustion, as the blaze was first seen in the top of the structure. It is a heavy loss to the railroad.

DR. WOODCOCK ELECTED BISHOP OF KENTUCKY (By Associated Press.) LOUISVILLE, KY., Nov. 16.—After a session lasting ten hours, during the course of which twelve ballots were taken, the Diocesan Council tonight elected Dr. Charles Edward Woodcock, Protestant Episcopal bishop of Kentucky.

WOODCOCK, a native of Kentucky, is a member of the Diocese of Kentucky, and is the present rector of St. John's Church, Detroit.

MISS LUCY LEE HILL IS A BRIDE (Continued from First Page.)

bunch of white chrysanthemums tied with red ribbon.

The Bride. Then came the bride, leaning on the arm of General Stith Bolling, her beauty charmingly enhanced by a superb wedding costume of white crepe de chine, trimmed with point lace, an heirloom worn by her mother and embroidered with gold thread. The tulle veil was caught with a beautiful wreath of pink roses and an elegant white prayer-book was carried. With graceful dignity the bride proceeded, and the chance rail, there meeting the groom, accompanied by his best man, Mr. Charles Macgill, son of General Macgill.

Rev. Dr. O. S. Bunting, rector of St. Paul's Church, impressively read the betrothal service, and then the bridal couple to the sweet tones of "O Perfect Love," softly sung by the choir, advanced to the altar, where Bishop Randolph performed the beautiful Episcopal marriage ceremony, and pronounced the young man and woman man and wife.

General Stoessel's wedding march